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STATE RADIO RECEIVER FACTORY AT DZIERZONIOW AND ODMUCHOW WEAPON AND AMMUNITION FACTORY ( 7 pp;  
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The sketches and text included in the attached report concern the Dzierzoniow State Radio Receiver Factory and the Odmuchow Weapon and Ammunition Factory.

Sketch number one is the plant layout of the radio factory. It shows location of KBW guardhouse, offices, transformer section, warehouses, machine shops, assembly gallery, etc. The page of text following the sketch gives brief biographic information on Director Pinkier Vice-Director Bartz, Technical Director Malinowski of the assembly division, and Engineer Borowski of assembly division. The factory is primarily devoted to military orders. It makes the following: Pioneer U 1 (Universal -1), U -2, Universal, U.B. (Universal Battery) Pioneer -B /sic/. It also makes the AGA and Radiola. The factory employs 3,500 to 4,000 workers. About 12 dogs are let loose at night. The UB head is a young 28-year old political officer who has eight agents working for him.

Sketch number 2 includes drawings of the basement and second floor of the radio factory. Basement includes warehouses, workshop, telephone exchange, etc. The second floor contains the various laboratory sections of the factory. The text states that the laboratory is top secret and is devoted to military work. Workers can pass from one work room to another only with permission of Engineer Bartz. Each section has from one to two engineers. It is the job of the Airforce and Navy control units to check the condition and quality of the apparatus. Pioneer, AGA, and Universal radios are manufactured for the Army. A guard post at the foot of the second floor stairway checks passes issued by Director Pinkier (Bartz in his absence).

Sketch number 3 shows the radio factory in relation to the town of Dzierzoniow, the railroad station, water tower, fire control tower, etc.

Sketch number 4 shows the plant layout of the Odmuchow Weapons and Ammunition Factory. It locates the rifle workshops, the automatic weapons division, the artillery barrel foundry, and the powder mill. It shows the factory in relation to Lake Odmuchow (scene of naval training maneuvers), the town of Odmuchow, the railway and road (Kamienice and Katowice), and the forest.

The text states the factory was rebuilt in 1950 and activated around April 1951. The plant employs about 10,000 persons, mostly former prisoners of war and political prisoners from Wroclaw and Jaworzno. The factory turns out automatic weapons, barrels for field artillery, rifle ammunition, and ammunition for field artillery. Nothing known about plant personnel. 25X1A

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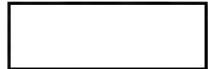
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REPORT AND DIAGRAM OF KITLIN AIRFIELD NEAR WROCLAW (2pp; Polish, 1

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This is a 2-page document including a diagram of Kitlin Airfield near Wroclaw.

The diagram of Kitlin airfield bears the following legend: A - Barracks; B- Motor fuel storage; C - Repair Shops; D- Hangar; R - Radio (Radar) • traffic control tower.

Construction on Kitlin Airfield began in May 1950. At present the section marked "I" at the Wroclaw - Legnica route has been completed and is in use. The section marked "II" on the Wroclaw-Swidnica route is expected to be completed about 1953. Partly surrounded by wall 2-meters high and partly by barbed wire fence 2 meters high.

The barracks are already occupied. The Air Force detachment wears a gray uniform. The insignia, worn on the left arm, consists of a shield with a red chief bearing an inscription. The rest of the shield bears the national bicolours, crossed by a saber.

This detachment is very large (about 4,000 members). Some sort of air training school, possibly an officer's school, is located here. The school gives a 2-year course (2 years of theory with one year of flight training). The commander is an officer of Polish extraction from France.

For appearance of the gate, see drawing: height of the large bombs is about 2 meters.

Training planes: are mostly fighter planes, deduced from the fact that they continuously perform acrobatics.

Type of training planes: as per sketches, added later.

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SWIDNICA GARRISON (2pp; Polish

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This document consists of 2pp of photostats of handwritten reports.

The first document states that a Polish artillery unit and a Soviet armored unit are stationed in the Swidnica barracks. The Polish artillery unit has heavy artillery, probably short-barrel mortars drawn by motors. (Identified by red cap bands).

Soviet armored unit. The insignia of this unit is worn on the left arm. The drawing of the insignia is one-half of the actual size. A gold cross, on the order of gold braid, divides the insignia into four parts—upper left and right is light blue, and the lower left and right is green. The Swidnica garrison is very large. It is said that there are nearly 10,000 Soviets, and about 2,000 or 3,000 Poles.

The second document is a drawing of the Swidnica barracks; the area marked "A" houses the Soviet armored unit, and the area marked "B" houses the Polish artillery unit. A road, with an arrow drawn pointing to the right, leads to the market place. Across the road is the office of KGU (Komenda Główna Ubezpieczeń "Swidnica" - Polska, Swidnica Main Recruiting Center [Polish]).

The barracks, situated closer to the center of the city, cannot be approached nearer than 50 meters. No loitering is permitted near the barracks.

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